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TO: CHIEF, SR/3
FROM SR/3-W2
SUBJECT: Contact report 9 November 1953

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1. With return of CASSOWARY 15 the AERODYNAMIC case officers [] and [] met with subject 9 November for purpose of debriefing him.

2. CASSOWARY 2 according to CASSOWARY 15 has stated that if the couriers have not departed they should not attempt to exfiltrate at this late date but should wait until next spring. He has requested that a message be sent to CASSOWARY 5 informing him that the attempt should be delayed until spring. The case officers stated that any further action on our part depends on information we receive from the homeland.

3. Recently CASSOWARY 2 received a letter from a relative who had been one of the many German P.W.'S recently released by the Soviets. According to CASSOWARY 2 his name is Doctor Jaroslav NYKORAK. He is his wife's second cousin on her mother's side. Dr. NYKORAK had been studying in Berlin before the war and during the war enlisted with the Galician Division. The mother and another son (not Dr. NYKORAK) were sentence to Siberia but she returned to KOSIV (KOLOMIJA area) sometime in the last three years. The son did not return and it is assumed that he perished there.

Dr. NYKORAK had spent the last nine years in Siberia as a German P.W. and according to CASSOWARY 2 his excellent German and the fact that a German girl friend, living in Berlin, continuously wrote to him verified his claim to German citizenship when and while a P.W. under the Soviets.

Doctor NYKORAK had made contact with the SUCHASNA UKRAINA, Ukrainian newspaper in Munich, through a Dr. ARLD or ARLDT, who works with the German Red Cross, presumably in Munich area. According to CASSOWARY 3 Dr. ARLDT was a member of the Nazi party and presently an ardent socialist also claims to be anti-communist. Dr. ARLDT directed Dr. NYKORAK to the SUCHASNA UKRAINA where he received CASSOWARY 2's address. In this letter Dr. NYKORAK requests that CASSOWARY 2 help subject with money as well as obtaining some support in locating himself.

CASSOWARY 2 suspicions have been aroused by receipt of the letter and fact subject was able to pass himself off as a German P.W. He believes this could be method of Soviet attempts penetrate his group. Based on above suspicions CASSOWARY 2 has requested that we attempt to check bona fidas of subject if possible.

Dr. Jaroslav NYKORAK will be located at the following address until 15 or 20 November, after that CASSOWARY 2 does not know where he will be located:

Jugendberge, Heimerbrauweg
6/185 1/26
Eichstatt, Germany

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